

### The Way We See Them.

Contentment does not come of one's possessions or of one's position, but it comes of one's way of looking at these. He who realizes that he is where God wants him to be, and that he has what God wants him to have, will be contented with his lot and his store, whatever they are; but he who fails to realize this truth would never be contented, though he were the most favored man in the world.—Selected.

Tolstoi, the novelist, has a son who is known as Father Tolstoi in the Russian Orthodox Church Communion. When Pope Leo appealed to the Christians of the east to aid in the union of eastern and western believers, Father Tolstoi was fascinated with the scheme, and went immediately to Rome, where he was made much of, his father's novels being popular in Italy. His Holiness informed the young man that to render efficient aid he must become a Roman Catholic and presently it was rumored in Russia that he had done so. The Russian church solemnly excommunicated Father Tolstoi. This disturbed the vatican, and out of political considerations, the young Russian was told to go home again. He did so, but secretly returned to the pope, who, in order to test him, ordered him to join a Basilican cloister. The monk's habit was adopted by Father Tolstoi, but has now been cast aside, and the young man has returned to Russia, a penitent, disenchanted. The pope's scheme to absorb the eastern church does not enchant him now.

Rev. David Utter of Salt Lake, Utah, the noted Unitarian minister, with a companion recently made a descent of the Colorado river on a raft. The raft was built of driftwood, 20 feet long, 6 feet wide, and well spiked together. The boxes, with false bottoms containing provisions, were nailed upon the raft. They served as seats when the water was smooth and protected the provisions from the swash. The navigators got into serious trouble only once. On the first day the raft was carried into an eddy about 600 feet long and 300 feet wide and very deep. If either man had lost his footing there and gone overboard, that would have been the end, because the suck would have carried him down. They were three days on the raft, tying up at night, and made about one-half the distance the first day.

The longer I live, the more I am satisfied of two things: First, that the truest lives are those that are cut rose-diamond fashion, with many facets answering to the many-planned aspects of the world about them; secondly, that society is always trying in some way or other to grind us down to a single flat surface. It is hard work to resist this grinding-down action.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Moody and Sankey have been engaged to hold a series of meetings in Atlanta in November. A tent sufficient to accommodate 5000 persons is to be erected near the business center of the city. At this time the attendance upon the Cotton States and International Exposition is expected to be at its height. It is hoped that this meeting will mark an important event in the religious history of Atlanta.—Baptist and Reflector.

### FROM OZELLO.

Our public school closed for the term on the 22d, with Prof. J. R. Walker as teacher.

Bright and good work was accomplished during the five months term.

Both pupils and teacher seemed loath to part.

The term has been a quiet and happy one.

The pupils have shown a desire to excel in their studies, that would have done credit to those of greater years.

They loved their teacher and he has done what he could for them. In return they have anticipated his every wish, and their parents have seconded his authority and supported him in his work.

He has been doing a good work for the master in our Sunday school and prayer meetings, assisted by his good wife—a lady of noble Christian character.

We hope their many efforts and good example will be like bread cast upon the waters, to return after many days.

Mrs. E. B. Richardson and son, Master Eddie, of Ocala, are making an extended visit to their beautiful home, Paradise, on the banks of the picturesque St. Martins.

We very much regret the departure for High Springs of Miss Lizzie Pratt, one of that city's most lovely young ladies, who has been spending several months at her summer home on the coral isles. E.

### MORE ABOUT GAS.

"Laura," said a prudent Ocala mother, not unkindly, "it seems to me that you had the gas turned rather low last evening."

"It was solely for economy," the maiden answered.

"There is no use trying to beat the gas company, my daughter. I have noticed that the shutting off of the gas is always followed by a corresponding increase of pressure."

"Well, that lessens the waist, doesn't it, mamma dear," replied the artless girl.

### CHEAP RATES VIA F. C. & P.

For the Cotton States and International Exposition, Atlanta.

For the above occasion the F. C. & P. will sell on Sept. 3 and 12, and commencing daily Sept. 15, until December 15, 1895, with final limit Jan. 7, 1896, at \$18.55; also daily commencing Sept. 16 until Dec. 15, with limit twenty (20) days from date of sale, at \$13.60.

Also on Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week, commencing Sept. 16, until Dec. 24, inclusive, with limit of ten (10) days, at \$9.90.

For tickets or any information call on R. G. Blake, city ticket agent, or John Dozier, depot agt.

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### Cheap Excursions via Plant System.

On account of National Meeting of Kentucky Horse Breeders' Association at Lexington, Ky., will sell round trip tickets to Lexington on Oct. 7 and 8 for \$24.40, good until Oct. 21, 1895.

On account of the Grand Army of the Republic at Louisville, Ky., will sell round trip tickets to Louisville on Sept. 8, 9, 10 and 11 for only \$17.80, good until Oct. 5, 1895.

On account of dedication of the Chicamauga and Chattanooga National Park, will sell round trip tickets to Chattanooga on Sept. 16

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### CHEAP RATES VIA F. C. & P.

Battlefield encampment of the Sons of Veterans at Knoxville, Tenn. On sale Sept. 13, 14, 15 and 16. Limited to Oct. 10, 1895, at \$13.10 for the round trip.

National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic at Louisville, Ky. On Sale Sept. 8, 9, 10 and 11. Limited to Oct. 5, 1895, at \$17.80 for the round trip.

Dedication of the Chicamauga and Chattanooga National Park at Chattanooga, Tenn. On sale Sept. 16, 17, 18 and 19. Limited to Oct. 13, 1895, at \$11.40 for the round trip.

For tickets, routes, and other information, call on R. G. Blake, city ticket office, or John Dozier, depot office.

Meeting Encampment of Populists at Orlando.—For the above occasion the F. C. & P. will sell round trip tickets, Sept. 2 and 3,

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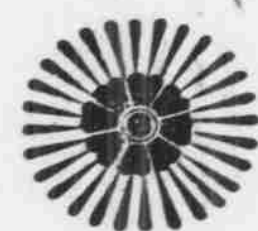
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